GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA

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PRODUCTION OF ZIMIKHAND
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the quantum of production of Zimikand and other agricultural produce recorded in Rajasthan, particularly in Udaipur division during the last three years;

(b) whether the farmers are not getting remunerative prices for the said produce;

(c) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto;

(d) whether the Government proposes to install processing plants for those produces in the said division;

(e) if so, the details and location thereof; and

(f) if not, the reasons therefore?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA)

(a): The quantum of production of Zimikand and other agricultural produce in Rajasthan and Udaipur Division for the last three years are given in Annexure.

(b)&(c): Farmers are getting remunerative prices for their produce and no complain has yet been received from the farmers.

(d)to(f): Govt. of Rajasthan have no proposal for installation of new processing plants for those produce, as the quantum of production of Zimikand and other horticulture produce are not very high and most of the produce is being consumed locally.

ANNEXURE

THE QUANTUM OF PRODUCTION OF ZIMIKAND AND OTHER AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE IN THE STATE OF RAJASTHAN AND IN UDAIPUR DIVISION DURING THE LAST THREE YEARS.

CROPS PRODUCTION IN TONNES

	2001-02		2002-03		2003-04	
	RAJ	UDR.DIV	RAJ	UDR.DIV	RAJ	UDR.DIV
ZIMIKAND	108	108	72	72	73	73
OTHER HORTI. PRODUCE						
FRUITS	200724	23092	189258	20037	222814	21785
VEGETABLE	433846	4393	334180	3587	480837	4348
SPICES	616727	2878	343823	1672	646953	2274
MEDICINAL						

CROPS	89552	15	78805	39	107770	88
FLOWERS	2434	23	986	1	2161	47
TOTAL	1343283	30401	947052	25336	1460535	28542

Raj = Rajasthan
UDR = Udaipur